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PATENT APPLICATION

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Dear Sir:

The applicant hereby submits this Interview Summary and respectfully requests that the same be entered in this case.

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It is believed the following Interview Summary information items A-G apply:

- A. Date of interview: 15 August 2006
- B. Type of interview: Telephonic
- C. Name of participants: Cong-Lac Huynh (USPTO) and Wayne J. Egan (Applicant)
- D. Exhibit shown on demonstration conducted: NO
- E. Identification of prior art discussed: N/A
- F. Claims discussed: 58-63.
- G. An agreement with respect to claims WAS NOT REACHED.

SUPPLEMENTAL REMARKS

- 1. Claims 1-2, 4-5, 8-9, 12-13, 18-19, 21 and 52-63 are pending. In response to the Final Office Action mailed 08/08/2006, the applicant filed an "AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL" on TUESDAY, 15 AUGUST 2006.
- 2. In the aforementioned "AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL" in 1 above:
- i. Claims 1-2, 4-5, 8-9, 12-13, 18-19, 21 and 57 were canceled, thus leaving claims 58-63 pending; and
 - ii. Claims 58-62 were amended.
- 3. The Final Office Action mailed 08/08/2006 at page 10, paragraph numbered 17, states that claim 59 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim 57 and any intervening claims.
- 4. Based on the Final Office Action statement in 3 above, in the aforementioned "AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL" in 1 above, claim 59 was amended to fully conform and agree with the Examiner's instructions. As a result, now it is believed that this claim 59 is allowable.

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- Also in the aforementioned "AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL" in 1 above, claims 58 5. and 60-62 were amended so as to make claims 58 and 60-63 dependent on their common parent claim 59. As a result, now it is believed that these dependent claims 58 and 60-63 also are allowable as depending on their common parent claim 59 which, as explained in 4 above, is itself allowable.
- In summary, as a result of the aforementioned "AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL" in 6. 1 above, now it is believed the remaining claims 58-63 are allowable and the application is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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